

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADEH
ABSTRACT:

Public Services - Horticulture - Request for adhoc promotion to the post of Deputy Directors of Horticulture for the panel year 2010-11 by invoking Rule-10[a] of A P State & Subordinate Service Rules, 1996 subject to commencement of probation in the promoted post after completion of minimum service in the feeder category -Orders- Issued.

AGRICULTURE & COOPERATION [HORT] DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS. No. 164
/06/2011

Dated: 25

Read the
following:

1. GOMS No.776 A&C [Hort] Department, Dated 15/9/89.
2. From the Director of Horticulture, Hyderabad, Hyderabad Letter No.Estt.1(1)237/2011 dt. 07 /5/2011.

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ORDER:

In the G O 1st read above, Special Rules for the post of Deputy Director of Horticulture were issued among other posts. According to Rule-7 of Andhra Pradesh Horticulture Service Rules "no person shall be eligible for appointment by transfer or promotion unless he has put in not less than (3) years of service in the category from which promotion or appointment by transfer is made.

2. The Commissioner of Horticulture, Hyderabad in her letter second read above has submitted proposals for preparation of panel of Assistant Directors of Horticulture fit for promotion to the category of Deputy Director of Horticulture for the panel year 2010-11 and requested to promote the Assistant Directors of Horticulture to the category of Deputy Director of Horticulture by invoking Rule 10[a] of A P State & Subordinate Service Rules, 1996.

3. The Commissioner of Horticulture, Hyderabad also stated that since the department is taking up lot of developmental activities for the welfare of horticulture farmers through various schemes like SHM, RKVY, Oil palm development, AP Micro Irrigation project, vegetable development programme in peri urban areas, NSP and NREGS. it is quite essential to fill up the vacant posts of Deputy Directors of Horticulture by promoting the eligible Assistant Directors of Horticulture. Keeping in view of the above position, the Commissioner of Horticulture, Hyderabad has requested the Government to relax Rule-7 of A.P. Horticulture Service-1989, in favour of the above Assistant Directors of Horticulture for promotion as Deputy Director of Horticulture.

4. Further, the Commissioner of Horticulture, Hyderabad has reported that there are 18 vacancies existing [including deputation posts] and 12 posts are anticipated in the cadre Deputy Directors of Horticulture. Further, there are eighty seven [87] Assistant Directors of Horticulture in the Seniority List, out of which ten [10] Assistant Directors of Horticulture [Srl.No.1-10] have completed minimum qualifying service of 3 years, as required under rules are eligible for promotion can be considered on regular basis if they are otherwise eligible, while fifty seven [57] Assistant Directors of Horticulture have completed the usual probation period of one year or more, but have not completed 3 years of service and the remaining twenty

[20] Assistant Directors of Horticulture have not completed even one year service. In the above situation, the vacancies of Deputy Directors cannot be filled up at present in accordance with the relevant service rules and filling up of such vacancy in accordance with rules is likely to result in undue delay which would adversely affect the implementation of schemes and functioning of the Horticulture Department.

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5. In the light of the above, the Government, after careful examination of the issue, hereby order to invoke Rule-10 [a] of the Andhra Pradesh State and Subordinate Service Rules, 1996 in the exigencies of service in favour of the eligible Assistant Directors of Horticulture, those who have completed the requisite period of probation or who are approved probationers as on the qualifying date of panel year [i.e. 1.9.2010 for the panel year 2010-11] for adhoc promotion according to rule-6 & 8 of A P State and Subordinate Service Rules, 1996 to the category of Deputy Directors of Horticulture, if they are otherwise eligible as per rule-10 [a] of A P State and Subordinate Service Rules, 1996 read with Memo No.53975/Ser.D/2000-3 GA [Ser.D] Department, dated 9.1.2001.

6. The Commissioner of Horticulture, Hyderabad shall take further necessary action in the matter.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA
PRADESH)**

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Dr.C V S K

APC & PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVT.

To
The Commissioner of Horticulture, Hyderabad.
Copy to:
General Administration [DPC] Department.
PS to Minister [Horticulture & Sericulture].
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FORWARDED: BY ORDER //

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